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H. R. 785

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Received; read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

AN ACT

For the relief of Maria Isabel Bueso Barrera, Alberto Bueso Mendoza, and Karla Maria Barrera De Bueso.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. PERMANENT RESIDENT STATUS FOR MARIA**
2 **ISABEL BUESO BARRERA, ALBERTO BUESO**
3 **MENDOZA, AND KARLA MARIA BARRERA DE**
4 **BUESO.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding subsections (a)
6 and (b) of section 201 of the Immigration and Nationality
7 Act, Maria Isabel Bueso Barrera, Alberto Bueso Mendoza,
8 and Karla Maria Barrera De Bueso shall each be eligible
9 for issuance of an immigrant visa or for adjustment of
10 status to that of an alien lawfully admitted for permanent
11 residence upon filing an application for issuance of an im-
12 migrant visa under section 204 of such Act or for adjust-
13 ment of status to lawful permanent resident.

14 (b) ADJUSTMENT OF STATUS.—If Maria Isabel
15 Bueso Barrera, Alberto Bueso Mendoza, or Karla Maria
16 Barrera De Bueso enters the United States before the fil-
17 ing deadline specified in subsection (d), he or she shall
18 be considered to have entered and remained lawfully and
19 shall, if otherwise eligible, be eligible for adjustment of
20 status under section 245 of the Immigration and Nation-
21 ality Act as of the date of the enactment of this Act.

22 (c) WAIVER OF GROUNDS FOR REMOVAL OR DENIAL
23 OF ADMISSION.—

24 (1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding sections
25 212(a) and 237(a) of the Immigration and Nation-
26 ality Act, Maria Isabel Bueso Barrera, Alberto

1 Bueso Mendoza, and Karla Maria Barrera De Bueso
2 may not be removed from the United States, denied
3 admission to the United States, or considered ineli-
4 gible for lawful permanent residence in the United
5 States by reason of any ground for removal or denial
6 of admission that is reflected in the records of the
7 Department of Homeland Security or the Visa Office
8 of the Department of State on the date of the enact-
9 ment of this Act.

10 (2) RESCISSION OF OUTSTANDING ORDER OF
11 REMOVAL.—The Secretary of Homeland Security
12 shall rescind any outstanding order of removal or de-
13 portation, or any finding of inadmissibility or de-
14 portability, that has been entered against Maria Isa-
15 bel Bueso Barrera, Alberto Bueso Mendoza, or
16 Karla Maria Barrera De Bueso by reason of any
17 ground described in paragraph (1).

18 (d) DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF
19 FEES.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall apply only if the ap-
20 plication for issuance of an immigrant visa or the applica-
21 tion for adjustment of status is filed with appropriate fees
22 within 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act.

23 (e) REDUCTION OF IMMIGRANT VISA NUMBER.—
24 Upon the granting of an immigrant visa or permanent res-
25 idence to Maria Isabel Bueso Barrera, Alberto Bueso

1 Mendoza, and Karla Maria Barrera De Bueso, the Sec-
2 retary of State shall instruct the proper officer to reduce
3 by 3, during the current or next following fiscal year, the
4 total number of immigrant visas that are made available
5 to natives of the country of the aliens' birth under section
6 203(a) of the Immigration and Nationality Act or, if appli-
7 cable, the total number of immigrant visas that are made
8 available to natives of the country of the aliens' birth
9 under section 202(e) of such Act.

10 (f) DENIAL OF PREFERENTIAL IMMIGRATION TREAT-
11 MENT FOR CERTAIN RELATIVES.—The natural parents,
12 brothers, and sisters of Maria Isabel Bueso Barrera,
13 Alberto Bueso Mendoza, and Karla Maria Barrera De
14 Bueso shall not, by virtue of such relationship, be accorded
15 any right, privilege, or status under the Immigration and
16 Nationality Act.

17 **SEC. 2. DETERMINATION OF BUDGETARY EFFECTS.**

18 The budgetary effects of this Act, for the purpose of
19 complying with the Statutory Pay-As-You-Go Act of 2010,
20 shall be determined by reference to the latest statement
21 titled “Budgetary Effects of PAYGO Legislation” for this
22 Act, submitted for printing in the Congressional Record
23 by the Chairman of the House Budget Committee, pro-

1 vided that such statement has been submitted prior to the
2 vote on passage.

Passed the House of Representatives June 7, 2022.

Attest: CHERYL L. JOHNSON,
Clerk.